



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Confirmation No.: 5410

John E. Schnizlein, et al.

Group Art Unit No.: 2131

Serial No.: 09/981,182

Examiner: Aravind K. Moorthy

Filed: October 16, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
ASSIGNING NETWORK ADDRESSES
BASED ON CONNECTION
AUTHENTICATION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply to Office Action in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status per 37 CFR 1.27(c)(1).
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard.

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Total Claims	22	27	0	\$ 50.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	4	0	\$200.00	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 3, 2005, the shortened statutory period for which runs until February 3, 2006, please reconsider the subject application after amendment as indicated herein.

- Claim amendments begin at page 2.
- Remarks begin at page 8.

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